

Michael O. Leavitt Governor Kathleen Clarke Executive Director Lowell P. Braxton Division Director 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210 PO Box 145801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801 801-538-5340 801-359-3940 (Fax) 801-538-7223 (TDD)

March 27, 2001

TO:

Minerals File

FROM:

D. Wayne Hedberg, Permit Supervisor

RE:

Documentation of March 19, 2001 Conference Call, Assessment Review & Status of Closure

& Reclamation Activities, North Lily Mining Company, Tintic Project, M/023/007, Juab

County, Utah

Date of Call/Meeting:

March 19, 2001

Location:

**Division Offices** 

Time of Call/Meeting:

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Participants:

Gene Webb & Walt Shubert - North Lily Mining Company; Bob Bayer - JBR; Larry

Mize - DWQ; Mary Ann Wright, Wayne Hedberg, and Doug Jensen - DOGM

*Purpose of Call/Meeting:* The purpose of this conference call was to document the progress that has been made at the Tintic Project site since our last conference call on March 6, 2001.

On March 19, 2001, a conference call was held between the representatives identified above to discuss the status of ongoing closure and reclamation activities at the Tintic Project site. The discussion focused on activities that had been performed since our last conference call. A summary of the discussion items are detailed below:

- Bob explained that all the onsite surveying work had been completed now. A corner section marker had been put in last week. He also stated that the containerized hazardous materials were shipped out to a disposal facility on March 6th and March 9th.
- Wayne confirmed that a letter had been drafted for Lowell's signature which would be sent to North Lily's bank authorizing a partial release of reclamation bond for the site. Wayne said he would fax a copy over to Steve and Gene when it was signed.
- Walt stated that most of the grubbing work was done as of last Friday. Most of the grubbed material was pushed to the south with some to the north. They were hoping to do some of the subgrade work today, as one area will require a 10 foot deep cut.
- Walt also said that the electrical conversion work has been completed. They now have 220 and 110 power outlets at the trailer. The process buildings power supply is now dead. Walt stated that they

Page 2 Conference Call M/023/007 March 26, 2001

are working on revising the original contract to supply power to the adjacent propane storage facility. They want to downsize the transformer and Gene is working on tracking down the original contract to fax same to Duff (the electrician). Walt said the new pump has been shipped and is due in today. They hope to install by tomorrow and have it and the misting system up and running by Wednesday.

- Walt said that the oil and generator sheds are also gone now. He asked what Gene wanted done with
  the company/site records which were stored on pallets in the process building. He said he thought Bill
  Riley might have room to store them, but Gene said he would talk with Chief Consolidated about same.
- Gene said he would be calling some of the salvage bidders back this week to firm up the bids and timing for demolition and removal of same. Walt said that Bill Riley had told him he knew someone who might take the building also.
- Larry Mize gave an update on the status of DWQ's review process of the latest design plans for the leach field. He said that Dave Rupp was assigned to review same and asked Bob to call Dave directly with questions or concerns. Larry also asked about the sampling requirements for the draindown from the site. Bob said he thought a sample was required in March or April of this year and that he would have bottles sent down for Walt to take a sample soon.
- Wayne asked if there has been any change in the measured draindown rate from the heap. Walt said he believed it was still staying pretty constant at about 3.5 gpm. He said they pumped from the preg pond into the overflow pond twice now, once around 3/5/01 and once this past week.
- Wayne confirmed the next scheduled conference call for April 3rd, at 9:30 a.m The AT&T conference call dial in #: (888) 232-0370; Participant Code #: 414075

jb

cc: Steve Flechner, NLMC
Bob Bayer, JBR
Dennis Frederick, DWQ
Mary Ann Wright, DOGM
o:\north lily\confercall.18.wpd